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WASHINGTON IS NOT VOTED.

THE HYPOTHETICAL "HAYES" DESIGN WAS A FAILURE.

HENDERSON IS GLAD NOW THAT HE DIDN'T RUN.

THE KNOX COUNTY DEMOCRATIC SOYING FOR A NEW MASSA.

A MIGHT SMART SHOWER YESTERDAY OUTSIDE OF KNOX COUNTY.

IT IS EVIDENT THAT THE PRESS AND HERALD DID NOT CIRCULATE IN BEN BUTLER'S DISTRICT IN THE LAST CANVASS.

JOE LEWIS AND JIMMY WILLIAMS WITH THEIR CIVIL RIGHTS BILL FAILED TO ELECT MABRY, BUT THEY BEAT BEN BUTLER.

SIMMONS, TEMPERANCE AND BEN BUTLER SEEM TO HAVE BEEN A IT IS TOO MUCH FOR THE REPUBLICANS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

"HONEST FARMER GIBSON" WOULD HAVE RUN BETTER IN MASSACHUSETTS, WHERE THE PRESS AND HERALD DOES NOT CIRCULATE.

THE LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

With the returns before us, up to 2 o'clock this morning, it is certain that Ledgerwood is elected to represent Knox County by something near two-thirds majority, perhaps a little more.

Turley leads Dyer, his Republican opponent for the Senate, about two hundred votes in this county. If our information received previous to the election from the counties of Union, Grainger and Anderson is correct, Dyer is elected.

The race between Cross and Flanders for joint Representative is close, with the chances in favor of Flanders, Republican.

THE FIRST DISTRICT.

The returns from the First District appear unfavorable to Butler, and favorable to McFarland. But we will await further returns before concluding Butler's defeat. It is possible that McFarland's majorities may reach 2,000 in the counties of Hamblen, Washington, Greene and Sullivan. But in the counties of Hawkins, Hancock, Cooke, Grainger, Claiborne, Carter and Johnson are almost sure to give Butler 2,500 majority. The contest will be very close, and we are willing to admit that it is doubtful.

FOR COAL ASHTRAY AND SMOKE IMPUDENCE, COMMEND US TO THE FOLLOWING EXTRACT FROM THE PRESS AND HERALD OF YESTERDAY MORNING:

"Although daily assailed by the contemptible and malicious ring of office-holders and their tools, who control the columns of the Chronicle—the very name of which has become an offence—we have not wavered in our determination to exclude from our columns anything that could be construed into low personal abuse, or that was not pertinent to the questions involved."

NOT AN ISSUE OF THAT PAPER HAS APPEARED SINCE THE DAY OF VIOLATION OF THE ENFORCEMENT ACT, IT HAS BEEN POSTPONED TILL AFTER THE ELECTION BY GENERAL CONVENTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—News has been received of the revolution in lower California. The insurgents plundered and murdered many persons, and then proceeded to Cape St. Lucas, where the people arose and gave them battle, killing thirteen insurgents, including the leader, thus putting an end to the revolution.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28.—The fire at the Greenesboro' fire is estimated at \$300,000. The fires in the woods are still raging.

NEW IRELAND, Oct. 28.—Five hundred real estate owners of the parish of St. Martin's have just arrived to offer themselves as bondsmen for seven St. Martinville prisoners, Messrs. Dercour, Dogo and F. Griswold, of that parish, who were arrested yesterday.

Failure of a Heavy Firm.

ANNAPOLIS, Oct. 28.—W. D. Washburn & Co. have failed. Their liabilities amount to half a million dollars. Their assets amount to millions of dollars. Washburn's paper is held all over the States. Two hundred thousand is held here. It is feared in case of a depression in trade, the assets will not be available.

Louisiana News.

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NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28.—With the closing of the polls on election day.

From five to six thousand fragmentary returns have been received.

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An Interview With Native Press—The Only Object.

Now comes the news that the Illinois journals do not take in good part the rejection of their Episcopal Bishop and the refusal to give him a hearing. The Chicago Tribune says:

such a decision is undignified and un-American, even if it be logical and Episcopal. Dr. Seymour told the Illinois press when he said that an Episcopate ought to be held, and it would only be hard for him to hear what he had to say in regard to the charges against him. The logical expression, however, of the last stand that he will be received in Illinois and that he will be received by the bishops and standing committee, must be taken with all allowance. He certainly can't be rejected unless he can meet his share of every remnant of rationality, even if the clergy should vote for him, he'd only be forced to accept it. In my eyes, the cause of the convention is likely to cause great commotion in this State, and it may reverse the influence of the Episcopal Church throughout the country with a bitterness hitherto unknown.

BRAVE IN THE NANGAUEK VALLEY.

The New Haven Palladium says that seven-eights of all the brass and German silver made and consumed in the United States, together with one-half of the manufactured copper, is made in the little Nangauke Valley, which is not over thirty miles long. The annual consumption of copper by the twelve brass and copper mills located in the valley is not less than sixteen millions of pounds, more than half of the product of the copper mines of the country. Nearly all the mills commenced with water power, and as business grew supplemented that power with steam. Now three-fourths of the power used in rolling brass and copper is steam.

Nearly all these mills have other companies connected with them, which manufacture a large portion of the brass and German products into the various forms of beauty and utility for general use, and many of these smaller companies have paid their stockholders larger dividends than the great ones in the valley.

THE NOVEMBER BALLOTS.

While the Republicans of Knox County have reason to be more than satisfied over the splendid gains made on the August election—gains, which give them a substantial victory even though they failed by a trifle to carry the county, that while we have elected Thornburgh by a handsome majority in the face of a fierce opposition backed by voting and corruption, there is not much encouragement in the general results in the North. Men are out of employment, business is dull, industries are crippled and though we have had a plentiful harvest, the country seems slow to revive from the panic of last year, and the depression that followed. All these things have operated against the party in power, and a revolution seems to have swept the East, like that which followed August. It will be short lived because it rests on no sufficient

HOME NEWS.

CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS ON THIS BASIS.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 27.—A collision took place to-day between Senator Republican and Douglass, Conservative, in the first district. Senator's arm was broken and otherwise damaged; senior said something about Beck, of Ky., which provoked Douglass.

Destructive Fires at Greencastle, Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Oct. 29.—Twenty-five or thirty buildings were burned at Greencastle, Indiana, last night. The fire extended over four squares on the east side of Indiana street, destroying all the buildings excepting the First National Bank. The loss is estimated at over \$400,000, with not a small amount of insurance. It is supposed that the fire was the work of an incendiary.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 29.—Greencastle, Indiana, is burning. The winds in various parts of Indiana and Ill. now are burning.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—The funeral of Rev. Geo. Shultz took place this morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, where he had been pastor for twenty-two years. After impressive ceremonies in the church, which was draped in black, the remains were deposited in the vault in the burial ground at the rear of the church.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 29.—A clear Democratic representative for Maryland offices, 2,000 majority.

STRANGE WOODS CAPTURED.

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—The following despatch was received at the appearance of day:

WICHITA, KAN., Oct. 27.—The Indian war in this Nation is rapidly subsiding. Major Schleifer with his column has captured an E. K. crew, 50 Indians, 200 horses and 100 moccasins.

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strongly with the whites. The United States troops are encamped within thirty yards of the polls at Frankfort.

SELMA, Nov. 2.—The Dixie county solicitor and Morgan the Tax Collector, both Republicans, were arrested to-day under the enforcement act. The affidavit for their arrest was made by John Sistay, an independent Republican candidate for tax collector, who charged the defendants with conspiring to intimidate colored men from voting the independent ticket. The United States Commissioner bound them in to the District Court.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 2.—Walter Harris, aged 35, who had been in the habit of smoking to bed, was found dead in his room this morning. The body was horribly burned and presented a sickening sight. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the pipe of the tobacco.

LOWELL, MASS., Nov. 1.—Rev. John O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, where he has been pastor for twenty-six years, died to-night while sitting in the leatherette of a smoking-chair.

SUNBURY, PA., Oct. 31.—A large drove broke at Selby's Grove last night, in the stable of Geo. Scherer. Heavy winds prevailed, and over two squares in the central part of the town were completely destroyed. All was summoned from Sunbury, and the fire was got under control on their arrival.

THE KEYSTONE and NATIONAL notables, Central School House, Methodist Church and Times printing office among the buildings burned. About sixty buildings were burned in all. The loss is estimated at \$120,000. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

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WASHINGTON.

The President Sends Food to the Grasshopper Country.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The President will order the Commissary General to provide rations for the people who have been devastated by the grasshoppers.

The Internal Revenue for October will reach \$2,000,000.

It may be absolutely stated that there has been no Cabinet consultation over the third term. The President has said in conversation that it was a definite to sell newspapers.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Grant has proclaimed Thursday, November 26th as thanksgiving.

The President in his proclamation says: "And laying aside all political contentions and secular occupations, to observe such day as a day of rest, thanksgiving and prayer."

Death of the Sculptor Rheinhard.

Jac. G. Holland of the Associate Press lost his wife at six o'clock this evening.

Mr. Rheinhard, the sculptor, died at home.

A Democratic Press Agent's Opinion of the New York Election.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—A shrewd politician, here from New York, says that the election of Tilden is concealed. The Republicans are stated to be anxious to trade votes to secure the Legislature, thus saving the successor to Senator Fenton, but the Democrats want him. Timid gamblers are betting heavily to sixty on Tilden. John Morrissey is taking all the bets he can get at two to one.

There is no truth in the report that certain Western railroads have combined against the Baltimore and Ohio road. Their freight and passenger cars have an equal facility with other great trunk lines.

Snow in New York and Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—There is much of snow between Buffalo, New York, and Erie, Pennsylvania.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The trains arriving from the east are now slow. The Episcopal Convention adjourns Monday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—The Persian Senate ratified the treaty with China. The bill allowing Jesuits to settle in Peru was rejected without debate. The new Haytian constitution prohibits foreigners from holding immense property, leases from civil or political disturbances, either foreigners or citizens, and can only be recovered through the courts from persons who have obtained it.

New Orleans, Nov. 2.—A general order has been issued from Headquarters Department of the Army of the Gulf, which contains the following in relation to the disposition of troops on Monday: "Troops will be in the city to preserve peace and order and to prevent a conflict between armed bodies of men, and for no other purpose." The president may call out the militia to aid in quelling any disturbance.

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